

# LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

## Actions of the City Council for July 25, 2016

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The following legislation was considered and acted upon by the City Council of the City of Falls Church. Copies of legislation are available from the City Clerk [cityclerk@fallschurchva.gov](mailto:cityclerk@fallschurchva.gov) or 703-248-5014.

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**Call for Order:** Mayor Tarter called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

**Roll Call:** Upon roll call, the following members were present: Mayor Tarter, Ms. Connelly, Mr. Duncan, Ms. Hardi, and Ms. Oliver. Mr. Snyder arrived at 7:34 p.m. because of work obligations. Mr. Sze was absent.

### **Second readings of ordinances and other items requiring public hearings**

(TO16-12) ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OF THE CITY OF FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA, IN AN AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED EIGHT MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$8,700,000.00) TO PAY COSTS INCIDENT TO RENOVATING, CONSTRUCTING, EXPANDING, RECONSTRUCTING, REPLACING IN ONE OR MORE LOCATIONS, EQUIPPING, AND/OR REEQUIPPING, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, A PUBLIC LIBRARY INCLUDING AN ARCHIVE/HERITAGE CENTER, AND REQUESTING THE CIRCUIT COURT TO ORDER A SPECIAL REFERENDUM ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF WHETHER THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS SHOULD BE AUTHORIZED **MOTION to adopt (TO16-12) PASSED on roll call vote, 6-0. (Mr. Sze was absent.) (Ord. 1960)**

### **Resolutions and first readings of ordinances**

(TO16-13) ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 16 "FINANCE" AND CHAPTER 40 "TAXATION" OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF FALLS CHURCH TO ALLOW FOR ADDITIONAL FEES AND PENALTIES FOR DELINQUENT TAXES, TO ALLOW PENALTIES FOR BAD CHECKS, AND TO ALLOW FOR ALTERNATE PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS TO BE MADE BY THE TREASURER **MOTION to grant first reading for (TO16-13), schedule second reading and public hearing for August 8, 2016, and advertise the same according to law PASSED on roll call vote, 6-0. (Mr. Sze was absent.)**

(TR16-37) RESOLUTION TO ALLOW GRANT FUNDS PREVIOUSLY AWARDED TO THE LITTLE CITY CATCH FOUNDATION BY RESOLUTION 2015-35 TO BE REALLOCATED FOR GENERAL OPERATIONAL EXPENSES **MOTION to adopt (TR16-37) PASSED on roll call vote, 6-0. (Mr. Sze was absent.) (Res. 2016-34)**

(TO16-14) ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE CITY OF FALLS CHURCH, CHAPTER 26 "MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC", ARTICLE V, "TOWING AND IMMOBILIZATION OF VEHICLES," SECTION 26-138, "REMOVAL OF TRESPASSING VEHICLES BY OWNERS OF PARKING OR OTHER LOT OR BUILDING" TO PERMIT INITIAL HOOK-UP AND TOW FEES OF \$135.00 AND PERMIT AN ADDITIONAL \$25 FEE FOR NIGHTS, WEEKENDS, AND HOLIDAYS AS REQUIRED BY THE CODE OF VIRGINIA **MOTION to grant first reading for (TO16-14), schedule second reading and public hearing for August 8, 2016, and advertise the same according to law PASSED on roll call vote, 5-1. (Mr. Duncan voted NAY.) (Mr. Sze was absent.)**

**Consent items**

- 1. AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER ON BEHALF OF THE CITY TO RENEW THE CURRENT ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR DANCE HOBBY CLASS SERVICES WITH EVERY BODY DANCE, LLC FOR THREE (3) ADDITIONAL ONE-YEAR TERMS IN AN AMOUNT UP TO \$90,000 ANNUALLY, SUBJECT TO ANNUAL APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS
- 2. APPOINTMENTS
  - (a) New Appointment: Nicole Newman – Human Services Advisory Council – (03/01/14) – 02/28/17 (Unexpired Term)

**MOTION to adopt Consent items PASSED upon voice vote.**

**Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings**

**The minutes of the June 13, 2016 meeting were approved upon voice vote.**

**Adjournment**

Upon proper motion and unanimous voice vote, the meeting was ADJOURNED at 9:23 p.m.

**Check List**

	<b>Legislation</b>	<b>Action</b>
	<b>Ord. 1960</b>	<b>File with court</b>
	<b>Res. 2016-34</b>	
	<b>(TO16-13) (TO16-14)</b>	<b>Ads: 7/28, 8/4</b>